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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4020

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TAGS: AEMR UK US VS CB

SUBJECT: EVACUATION OF BRITISH EMBASSY PERSONNEL FROM PHNOM
PENH

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF LETTER RECEIVED HERE FROM UK AMBASSADOR
BUSHELL:

2. QTE: THE REMAINING MEMBERS OF THE BRITISH EMBASSY IN
PHNOM PENH WERE EVACUATED HERE LAST NIGHT BY ONE OF YOUR
AIRCRAFT BASED IN SAIGON.

3. I AM WRITING OFFICIALLY AND AS A COLLEAGUE TO EXPRESS MY DEEP
APPRECIATION FOR THIS MISSION, WHICH, AS YOU MAY KNOW, WAS
CARRIED OUT UNDER EXTREMELY DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES.
I SHOULD LIKE TO PAY TRIBUTE TO THE CREW OF THE AIRCRAFT AND
I ASK YOU TO EXPRESS MY PERSONAL THANKS TO THEM FOR THE
OPERATION.

4. MY FOREIGN SECRETARY HAS ASKEC FOR HIS PERSONAL APPRECIATION
TO BE CONVEYED TO YOUR SECRETARY OF STATE. I CONVEY ALSO MY
THANKS TO YOU AND TO THE UNITED STATES EMBASSY, SAIGON,
FOR THE PART THEY HAVE PLAYED. SINCERELY, J.C.W. BUSHELL UNQTE
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